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SUBJ: UAE DIPLOMATIC COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK

AS USUAL, STRAIGHT STORY ON THIS PROJECT HARD TO PIN
DOWN. ALL PROPOSALS FOR NETWORK BEING EVALUATED BY
MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (MOC). ACCORDING TO
MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS (MFA) SOURCE, MOC HAS
RULED OUT POSSIBILITY OF USING SATELLITE (REASONS
STILL UNCLEAR) WHILE MOC SAYS THE DOING NO SUCH
THING AND THAT MEA WILL HAVE FINAL
VOICE ON TYPE OF SYTEM ADOPTED. IT
IS OUR GUESS THAT MFA WILL DEFINETLY NOT OPT FOR
SATELLITE SYSTEM DUE TO CONSTRAINTS, ONE BUDGETARY
AND TWO OPPOSITION FROM MOC WHICH IS PROCESS OF
TAKING OVER SUCH CARRIERS AS IAL AND FORMING ONE COMPANY
WITH SIXTY PERCENT GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP. WE WILL
KEEP YOU INFORMED AS SITUATION BECOMES CLEARER.
REGARDS, DENNIS FINNERTY, ABU DHABI.
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